

# DISCLOSURE DIVISION

☒ **WAIVER REQUEST**  
☐ **ANSWER**  
☐ **RECONSIDERATION REQUEST**  
☐ **UNTIMELY**

**DATE:** 7/16/2021

**DOCKET #:** 2021-676

Ashley Wimberley, Director  
Disclosure Division

## FILER INFORMATION

Name: Mr. David P. Guillet  
Address: 703 Garland Road, Natchitoches, LA 71457  
Office/Position: Natchitoches Area Convention & Visitors Bureau  
# of Disclosures/Amendments Filed with Agency: 4  
Years Covered: 2018-2019  
Final Report: No

## REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: Tier 2.1 Annual Personal Financial Disclosure covering calendar year 2019 - Amendment  
Report ID: PFD20007731  
Original Due Date: 7/6/2020  
Initial PFD Filed on: 1/23/2020  
NOD-amend Received: 2/2/2021 - Unable to Determine  
Amendment/Answer Due Date based on NOD: 2/11/2021  
Amendment/Answer Filed: 3/8/2021

## LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1250  
Days late from receipt of NOD: 25  
Total days late from initial due date: 245  
Late Fee Order Received: 4/29/2021  
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 5/19/2021  
Waiver Request Received: 5/18/2021

## COMMENTS:

David Guillet is asking for a waiver for not amending his 2019 PFD timely. He did not realize that his wife's employment as a special education teacher was considered a political subdivision. He has proudly served as an unpaid volunteer on the Natchitoches Convention and Visitor's Bureau since 2017, and has never filed late before. Mr. Guillet stated he is "dealing with other issues" and cannot afford to pay this fine. He asks the Ethics Board to consider granting him a one-time waiver. This is Mr. Guillet's first late fee assessment.

## OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

### Disclosure Statements:

- Other Outstanding Statements: No
- Other Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No
- Reassessed Late Fees: No

### Campaign Finance:

- Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No

Louisiana Board of Ethics  
P.O. Box 4368  
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RE: Late Fee Assessment-Report PFD20007731

Dear Board,

My name is David Guillet, Board Member of the Natchitoches Convention and Visitors Bureau, and I am writing to respectfully request a waiver of a late fee I recently received.

I was notified by mail that, in my original filings with the board, I did not note that my wife's job as a Special Education teacher with the local Public School Board qualified as a "Political Subdivision" and that I needed to revise that in a "Schedule E" document. Until receiving this correspondence, I was unaware that my wife's employment was classified as such or that there was even a problem.

Due to some personal reasons, I was late in my response for correction, however I did check the appropriate box and faxed the Schedule E document back acknowledging her teaching job was a Political Subdivision.

As a result, I recently received a certified letter from the Board stating that I owed a fine of \$1,250 due to my late response.

I have proudly served on this board since the fall of 2017 with no prior issues with my filings of disclosures. In my position as a Board Member, I serve voluntarily on my own time with no compensation or financial benefit. In dealing with other issues I am currently faced with, I am in no position to pay the \$1,250 at this time.

Again, I would please ask you to examine my body of work on the Convention and Visitors Bureau up to this point and allow me a one time waiver of this fee. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

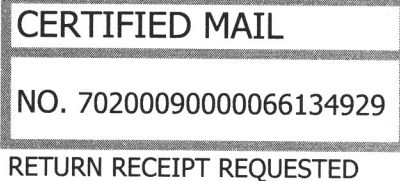
Sincerely,



David Guillet



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January 29, 2021

David P. Guillet  
703 Garland Road  
Natchitoches, La 71457

**RE: NOTICE OF DELINQUENCY - AMEND  
PFD20007731**

Dear Mr. Guillet:

Pursuant to La. R.S. 42:1124.4, if a person fails to file a Personal Financial Disclosure Statement as required by 42:1124, 1124.2, 1124.2.1, or 1124.3; omits information; or files inaccurately, a Notice of Delinquency shall be issued. A review of your Tier 2.1 Personal Financial Disclosure Statement covering 2019 that was filed with this office on January 23, 2020, indicates the following error(s) or omission(s):

**You are required to disclose income that your spouse received (during calendar year 2019) from the Natchitoches Parish School Board on SCHEDULE E.**

**You have 7 business days from the date of receipt of this Notice** to file an amendment to your Statement, or to submit a written Answer contesting the allegations. **Failure to file** within the 7 days will subject you to an automatic late fee of \$50 per day up to a maximum of \$1,500. Proof of timely filing is determined by the U.S. Postal Service postmark; receipt from the U.S. Postal Service; or receipt from a commercial delivery service.

If you would like to view the report that was initially filed to further explain the omission and/or correction needed, you may visit our website at [www.ethics.la.gov](http://www.ethics.la.gov). If you have any questions, you may contact me at 225/219-5600 or 800/842-6630.

Sincerely,

Tammy Frazier  
Compliance Investigator

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1. Article Addressed to:

David P. Guillet  
703 Garland Road  
Natchitoches, La 71457



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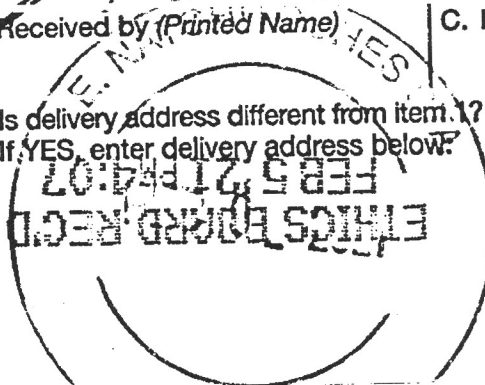
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